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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

**Falls Church City Hosts Northern Virginia Fair Housing Conference  
Tuesday, April 4, 2006**

FALLS CHURCH, VA. – Celebrate April as Fair Housing Month in the City of Falls Church! Industry professionals and members of the public are invited to attend a FREE and informative Fair Housing Conference on Tuesday, April 4, 2006 sponsored by The Equal Rights Center and hosted by the City of Falls Church. ERC and industry advocates will provide attendees with the latest news and necessities in the Fair Housing world. The Conference is designed to increase awareness on fair housing issues and ensure equal housing opportunities.

### **Conference Schedule**

8:30 a.m.-9 a.m.

Registration

9 a.m.-9:30 a.m.

*The Importance of Fair Housing to Northern Virginia and Beyond*

Michael Cash, Fairfax County Office of Human Rights

9:30 a.m.-10:30 a.m.

*The Marketing of Fair Housing*

Jessica Lighfoot, ERC

10:45 a.m.-11:45 a.m.

*Fair Housing in a Changing Community*

Michael Caesar, ERC

11:45 a.m.-1 p.m.

*Lunch (Not Provided)*

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**Conference Schedule (continued)**

1 p.m.-2 p.m.

*How to Use Tax Credits in a Fair Housing-Friendly Way*

John Relman, Relman and Associates

2:15 p.m.-3:15 p.m.

*Fair and Accessible Design and Construction*

Rebecca Crootof, ERC

The Conference will be held in the Falls Church City Community Center located at 223 Little Falls St. The Conference is free, but pre-registration is required. To pre-register please call the City's Housing and Human Services Division at 703-248-5005 (TTY 711) or e-mail [hhsinfo@fallschurchva.gov](mailto:hhsinfo@fallschurchva.gov).

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**WHEN:** Tuesday, April 4, 8:30 a.m.-3:15 p.m.  
**WHERE:** Falls Church City Community Center  
223 Little Falls St.  
Falls Church, VA 22046

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